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10 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
11 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

12 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
13 Plaintiff,  
14 v.  
15 RYAN W. PAYNE,  
16 Defendant.

Case No. 2:16-cr-046-GMN-PAL

**MOTION TO SET HEARING FOR**  
**FARETTA CANVASS AND**  
**ADJOINING MATTERS**  
**(Expedited Treatment Requested)**

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18 NOW COMES the defendant, Ryan Payne, by and through his counsel of record,  
19 Brenda Weksler and Ryan Norwood, Assistant Federal Public Defenders, and respectfully files  
20 this Motion to Set Hearing for *Faretta* Canvass and Adjoining Matters, for which he requests  
21 expedited treatment.

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1 DATED this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 2017.

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4 By: /s/ Brenda Weksler

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**ISSUE**

On October 2, 2017, following a discussion about a recent filing, Ryan Payne expressed his disagreement with decisions made by his lawyers and expressed his desire to have a canvass pursuant to *Faretta v. California*, 422 U.S. 806 (1975). Counsel asks that this matter be addressed forthwith at or before the calendar call hearing set for tomorrow.

DATED this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 2017.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Federal Public Defender

By: /s/ Brenda Weksler

BRENDA WEKSLER  
Assistant Federal Public Defender

By: /s/ Ryan Norwood

RYAN NORWOOD  
Assistant Federal Public Defender

**CERTIFICATE OF ELECTRONIC SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that she is an employee of the Federal Public Defender for the District of Nevada and is a person of such age and discretion as to be competent to serve papers.

That on October 2, 2017, she served an electronic copy of the above and foregoing **MOTION TO SET HEARING FOR FARETTA CANVASS AND ADJOINING MATTERS (Expedited Treatment Requested)** by electronic service (ECF) to the person named below:

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